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EVENING HERALD

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1896.

PITHY POINTS.

Happenings Throughout the Region Chronicled for Hasty Perusal.

The Shenandoah Beef Company put a new wagon on the road today.

Dr. J. H. Bowman, of Hazelton, won a bicycle valued at \$125 for two cents.

The Silliman Guards, of Mahanoy City, are being measured for new uniforms.

Michael O'Lea was brutally kicked by four men in Mt. Carmel and is now dying.

Girardville teachers will be examined by County Superintendent Wells on Wednesday next.

Leopold Cross, of St. Clair, was severely injured by a runaway car in the mines on Saturday.

The Ashland School Board has re-elected all the old teachers. The meeting was held Friday night.

The employees of the P. & R. C. & I. Co. in the Ashland and Girardville districts will be paid on Tuesday.

The Town Council of Tompago pays the newspapers \$25 a year for publishing the proceedings of that body.

Special Officer Michael Kane denies that he threw stones at the boys in was arresting Friday night and claims he was the party stoned.

An Ashland youth threw a lighted fire-cracker into a loaded hay wagon, and set the hay ablaze. The fire was extinguished before much damage was done.

Is Your Foot Big? Well, if it isn't too big you can buy a ladies' Oxford tie very cheap at the Factory Shoe Store.

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Furniture and Mattresses Renovated.

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Furniture cleaned, 50c per set. Mattresses cleaned and upholstered, hair, \$4; cotton, \$3; cheaper grades, \$2.

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A FIRST WARD BEROBERY.

The Circumstances Look Very Peculiar for the Victim's Room-mate.

Charles Benedict and Joe Baranofsky have been boarders in the same house in the First ward and occupied the same bed for some time and up to yesterday morning neither had any cause to complain of each other, but appearances now indicate that Baranofsky has fallen from grace and that he will soon have a room in the county jail unless he succeeds in satisfying Benedict.

The latter is a thrifty man, but makes the mistake of carrying his savings on his person. Saturday night he had \$400 in cash in his pockets. He tied the money in a pocket handkerchief and left the package in a pocket of his trousers, which he allowed to hang at the foot of the bed when he retired. Yesterday morning he found the money had been stolen. An exhaustive, but fruitless search was made in and about the bed room. Benedict finally concluded to put the case in the hands of Justice Lawlor, but as he started for the office Baranofsky called him back, suggesting that another search be made. The suggestion was acted upon and to Benedict's great surprise \$180 was found in the mattress of his bed. A funny part of the affair was that the mattress had been thoroughly searched before and nothing could be found. Benedict concluded that his room-mate had lured the mattress, and he caused Justice Lawlor to issue a warrant. Baranofsky pleaded not guilty before the Justice, but was put under \$500 bail for additional hearing this evening.

Larger stock of gold watches at Holderman's than any where else in town. 6-13-17

Base Ball Yesterday.

Before an audience of several hundred base ball enthusiasts a 10-inning game was played between the Lost Creek team and a team under the management of P. Monaghan, of town, at the Trotting park yesterday afternoon. This is the same team that the Lost Creek boys beat on their own grounds last Sunday, in which they hired about 75 boys to cheer the Shenandoah aggregation, so as to lose their presence of mind. The game throughout yesterday was a very exciting one, many interesting and beautiful plays being made at critical moments. The teams were lined up as follows: Monaghan's—Hildebrand, lb.; Cliff, 2b.; Matthews, 3b.; Monaghan, lf.; Conroy, rf.; Ryan, cf.; McLaughlin, ss.; Murphy, p.; Walters, c. Lost Creek—Cleary, lb.; T. McDonald, 2b.; Noon, 3b.; Ward, lf.; Carney, rf.; Sweeney, cf.; Scanlan, ss.; McDonald, p.; Coyle, c. Score—Lost Creek, 29; Monaghan's team, 18. Umpire—D. Reilly.

Classic Gingham. We have received another case of classic gingham worth 16 cents per yard. We will continue to sell them at 5 cents per yard. R. F. GILL.

To Return to Wales.

Rev. James Williams, B. D., who filled the pulpit of the Welsh Congregational church during the past two Sundays, will be a guest at a farewell meeting at the church this evening, at 7 o'clock. The public is invited. Rev. Williams graduated from the Caucasian College, in Wales, and spent the past three years in Yale College. Having graduated from the latter with the degree of Bachelor of Divinity he will now return to Wales and enter the ministry.

Bargains This Week.

Double sheeting for 12 1/2 cents per yard, good dress gingham at 5 cents, 8 cent toweling at 4 cents, the best table oil cloth at 12 1/2 cents, one yard wide muslin worth 8 cents at 5 cents, a nice ticking formerly sold at 10 cents now 5 cents, blue denim at 4 cents and 8 cent bleached muslin at 6 cents. At P. J. MONAGHAN'S. 6-13-17

Matalawicz Arrested.

William Matalawicz, who has been wanted by the police authorities for the past two weeks, but succeeded in keeping out of the way, was arrested by Constable Daniels on Saturday night in a saloon at West Coal street. This morning he was taken to the Pottsville jail, Justice Williams having committed him in default of \$500 bail. Matalawicz is charged with receiving a stolen watch and chain. Mrs. Mary Shukawicz is waiting trial for stealing the jewelry of Justice Bailey, who was holding it pending a determination as to who committed the original theft.

Show window full of presents for graduates at Brumm's.

Lightning's Work.

During the storm Saturday night lightning traced down the wires into the power station of the Shenandoah Traction Company at Girardville and struck a generator and engine, damaging them to an extent of \$1,000. In consequence of the damage the plant was thrown idle for two hours and only two cars could be operated on the Shenandoah branch of the road yesterday. Workmen are repairing the generator, which was the most injured.

If you want a fine wedding cake, let Otto make it for you.

The Newly Ordained Priests.

Newly ordained priests have been assigned as follows: The Rev. John T. McMenamin to St. Canius, Mahanoy City; the Rev. Eugene M. Bardet, to the Immaculate Heart, Chestertown; the Rev. Edward J. Bahilly to St. Patrick's, Ashland; the Rev. Edward J. Keenan to the Holy Family, Mahanoy; the Rev. William H. Huntington to St. Bridget's Falls of Shenandoah; and the Rev. Francis J. Hamilton, to St. Francis Xavier's, Philadelphia, Pa.

See A. Holderman's display of jewelry. If

A Shenandoah Lady to West.

Thomas Kennan, a popular resident of Cahoon street, who is employed at Elmwood colliery, is to be married. The lady of his choice is Miss Nellie Ryan, of Shenandoah, who has a large circle of friends. The ceremony will probably be performed within the next ten days.

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Killed by Lightning.

During the storm of Saturday night lightning struck the large barn of Lewis Cragenheimer, in Kingstown valley, near Ashland. The structure, together with the contents, were consumed. Samuel Beta and Harry Mackley, two farm hands, were feeding the stock at the time and both were killed. Three fine horses and a cow were also killed.

Fancy goods suitable for gifts. Prices moderate. At Holderman's. 6-13-17

Flower Mission Report.

Miss Mattie Price, superintendent of the Flower Mission, makes the following report of necessities distributed among the sick and poor during the month of May: 12 boxes of literature, 4 bushels of fruit, 10 bouquets of flowers, 3 glasses of jelly, 1 pint of ice cream, 6 cans, 1 basket of provisions and a donation of 50 cents, 32 cents donated and no visits were made.

POTTSVILLE LETTER.

Judge Pershing Hands Down Several Important Decisions This Morning.

POTTSVILLE, June 15. The July term of criminal court opened this morning and every available seat in No. 1 court room was occupied. Before cases were called for trial Judge Pershing handed down the following orders:

In the matter of a charter for the Lithuanian Society of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, of New Philadelphia, a charter was granted.

In the matter of a vacancy in Auditorship of New Philadelphia, caused by the removal of David Evans, two applicants had included in petitions, James P. Butler and William Knowles. It would be necessary for the latter to settle up accounts of his father, who was the former tax collector. The relationship was thought by the Court to be too close and inasmuch as the petition of Butler was more numerously signed, the court appointed James P. Butler to fill the vacancy.

Judge Bechtel granted a charter to the Mahanoy Firemen's Relief Association, and directed the usual decree to be filed.

In the matter of a petition to appoint a number of special police for the Palo Alto plant the Court appointed the parties named in the petition.

Frank Bennett was appointed to fill the vacancy of Auditor of Cressona.

A charter was granted to the Bethany Evangelical church of Shenandoah.

In the matter of the division of the Fifth ward of Pottsville into two election districts the court approved the report of the commission and ordered a division, in which Percival Holtz was made Judge of Election in First division and Nicholas Brownmiller and Christ Lord, Inspectors. This makes a vacancy of Judge in Second division, as Percival Holtz was Judge of the ward, and John Bishar was appointed to fill vacancy.

In the case of Valle Bros. vs. Lakeside Railway Company, which was an appeal from a Justice, a rule was asked for judgment for want of a sufficient affidavit of defense. The court read a lengthy opinion in which it thought that the plaintiff's action in paying the costs is equivalent to a discontinuance, and the rule was made also late.

In the matter of a new trial in Commonwealth vs. Morris Bartlett, of Auburn, in which defendant was convicted of burning a barn last winter, the court could find no reason for setting aside verdict and refused a new trial.

After opinions were handed down Judge Bechtel charged the grand jury, and Judge Pershing heard motions in No. 3 court room.

The following were excused from jury duty for reasons stated: Isaac Marks, sickness; Daniel Schlegel, deafness; Frank Mack, sickness; and Daniel Draper, not a citizen.

A deed from Alexander Scott, Sheriff, to W. C. Haack, for property in Tremont, sold as the property of Harry L. Hell et al. for \$2,950, was acknowledged in open court.

Marriage licenses were granted to the following: Simon Kocopuski and Aggie Petrolina, both of Shenandoah; Edward E. Willard and Emma M. Otto, both of Hedges township; William C. Ebert, of Orwigsburg, and Mary Blazek, of Quakake; William Kerstetter, of Line Mountain, and Mary E. Reilly, of Upper Mahanoy township; David Shambler, of Porter township, and Maggie Elliot, of Towner City; George W. C. Gibson and Lillie Syker, both of Park Place; Christopher J. Cox and Mary A. Devers, both of Shenandoah.

J. O. Ulrich, Esq., Solicitor for the Commissioners, filed an order of non-payment of Constable fees, but the Commissioners and Controller have decided to pay them.

The Grotto Bridge and Manufacturing Company, of Grotton, N. Y., have been awarded the contract of putting up the new bridge in Mahanoy township.

The following deeds were recorded: Deed from John J. Munley et al. to Ellen Dougherty, for lot in Preston, in Butler township; from Annie J. Kerschner, for lot in Nelson City; from Daniel A. Jones and wife to Morgan Griffiths, for lot in Newburg; from Matthias Bowie, et ux to Frederick Greenow, for lot in borough of Ashland; from Jacob Inschwiler and wife to Harry C. Neidhammer, lot and house in Tremont; from Bridget Hotel to Nellie Grady, lot in Mahanoy City.

Squire J. J. Edwards, of town, committed Andrew Melchick to prison, on oath of Harry Dix, charged with burglary.

Annie Sams was committed to prison by J. J. Fensler, of town, in default of \$800 bail on oath of Henry Long charged with bigamy and adultery.

William Torbert, of Girard Manor, circulated among business friends at the county seat today.

Constable Joseph Klendens, of Mahanoy City, was at the court house today.

Arthur Dick, the contractor from Hazelton, visited St. Clair today to look after his extensive stripping at that place.

William D. Williams, Esq., who holds a position at Washington, has returned home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas and daughter, Libbie, of Morris, returned home from Philadelphia after spending a week with friends.

How are your Kidneys? Don't forget if you have leucorrhoea that it is all owing to the excess of uric acid in your blood. Dr. Hobbs Spargan's Kidney Pills will cure you by expelling the uric acid and purifying the blood. For sale at Kirlin's pharmacy.

Tickets for the Commencement.

The charts for the Gammur and High school commencements, are open at the Library, West and Center streets. Tickets can be obtained at any time from the Secretary. Purchaser will please remember that 4 is for Wednesday and 48 for Thursday evening.

J. J. Price, President of School Board.

Big bargains in colored shirts at MAX LEVIT'S, 12 East Centre street.

A Slight Fire. The Rescue Hook and Ladder Company and the Phoenix Hose Company responded to a fire at the residence of Henry Dunn, on North Gilbert street, at about 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. The fire was caused by a number of small boys who ignited a lot of rubbish in the cellar. A three-year-old son of Mr. Dunn was considerably burned about the face and right arm. No damage was done to the property or effects.

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Examination of Teachers.

The annual examination of applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools of East Mahanoy township was held today.

The examination was held in the Ellangovan school building, and began this morning at 9:30 o'clock and will be continued to-morrow. Supt. Frank J. Noonan conducted the examination.

Ask your grocer for the "Royal Patent" flour, and take no other brand. It is the best flour made.

Park Place Breaker. The breaker at Park Place, which was recently destroyed by fire, owned by Leutz, Lilly & Co., on the site of which a new breaker is being erected, the latter is near completion. It is expected that everything will be in readiness to resume operations on July 1st.

Payne's Girardville Nursery. We still have on hand a lot of fine geraniums, fuchsias, verbenas, and other garden plants. It is not too late to plant. Prices on these plants were never lower. 6-10-17

Father Carton Promoted. Rev. Father Carton, curate at St. Canius church, Mahanoy City, has been appointed curate in the parish of the Holy Rosary, Philadelphia, and left Saturday for that city. His successor is Rev. John McMenamin, of Philadelphia, recently ordained.

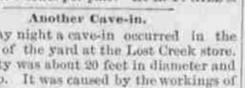
The Boner-McDonald Contest. Much interest is manifested among the sports in the fight between James Boner, of Lansford, and Dad McDonald, of Wilkesbarre, which is to take place on Saturday night, near Hazelton. The purse will be \$200 a side.

Big Drive in Hosiery. We have just received one case of Misses' Fast Black Hosiery, sizes 5 to 19, which we will sacrifice at 5 cents per pair. At R. F. GILL'S.

Another Cave-in. Saturday night a cave-in occurred in the rear part of the yard at the Lost Creek store. The cavity was about 20 feet in diameter and very deep. It was caused by the workings of Tacker No. 2 colliery.

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for prudent-minded men to wear "Celluloid" Collars and Cuffs. They are waterproof, and besides saving laundry bills and bother, they are comfortable to wear, never chafing the neck and never wrinkling. They can be instantly cleaned—with a wet cloth or sponge. The original interlined collars and cuffs with a "Celluloid" surface. Everyone is marked like this.



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MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Barber shop, including two revolving chairs, six cutting, linings, razors, clippers, straps, etc., at a reasonable price. Apply at 115 South Gilbert street. 6-13-17

LOST—On the 15th inst., between 5 and 7 A. M., a ladies' small silver watch with gold chain and locket. The finder will be amply rewarded by returning the same to the Herald's office. 6-13-17

FOR SALE—The good will and fixtures, and Hotel furniture complete, of the Watson House, No. 35, Main street. Apply to M. M. Burke, AMF. 6-13-17

FOR SALE—A good second hand phonograph. Apply at O'Hara's livery stable, corner White and Lloyd streets. 6-13-17

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SPECIAL ATTRACTION. One of the special attractions of the day will be a bicycle race, a valuable prize to the winner. Assist the fire ladders by purchasing a ticket and have a good day out.

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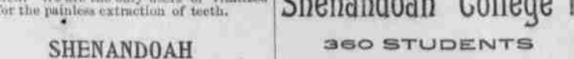
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